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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/824,402  
Applicants: Yoshihiro EMORI, et al.  
Filing Date: April 15, 2004  
For: RAMAN AMPLIFIER, OPTICAL REPEATER, AND  
RAMAN AMPLIFICATION METHOD  
Group Art Unit: 3663  
Examiner: DIACOU, ARI M.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

- **Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment based on Failure to Receive Office Communication**
- **Exhibit A: Copy of the Firm's PTO Mail Log for U.S. Application Serial No. 10/824,402**
- **Exhibit B: Copy of PAIR's Image File Wrapper and Transaction History for U.S. Application Serial No. 10/824,402**

Our online credit card payment in the amount of **\$0.00** is being made covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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